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FORT BENNING – The return of Fort Benning's 988th Military Police Company <u>is</u> now scheduled for 1:45 a.m. December 12.

The Soldiers have been deployed to Iraq for nearly a year in support of Operation Iraqi Freedom V. During their deployment, the unit trained Iraqi police and security forces.

Prior to this mission, Soldiers from the 988th have deployed to Iraq in support of Operation Iraqi Freedom, to Guantanamo Bay, Cuba, and to the Pentagon in support of Operation Home Front Security.

Media who wish to attend the welcome will be met at the access control point on I-185 at 1 a.m. December 12. For notification purposes, please call the Public Affairs Office if you are planning to attend as all times are subject to further change.

For this event, a Public Affairs representative will also be available via mobile phone at (706) 575-8318.

For more information before 5 p.m. today, call (706) 545-3512 or (706) 545-2236. On weekends and after duty hours, call 545-2218.